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Congratulations are in order for last year's Sem Staff, who earned a First Place International Rating from the Quill and Scroll Society.

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In case you have been wondering what "billete" means, I'll let you in on the secret. Literally it means "loaded with notes" — well, it's different anyway.

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This is your school paper. We want you to feel free to give suggestions, so if you have some news, a bit of humor, or a poem or two, drop it in the yellow SEM Mailbox outside Room 209.

## Notice to Parents

The Board of Education of the Ypsilanti Public Schools is asking you to vote **NO** on Proposal Number Two at the General Election on November 2, 1948.

Proposed Amendment Number Two would repeal the sales tax return to cities, townships, and school districts.

If this Amendment passes it will take \$80,000 from the receipts of the Ypsilanti Public Schools.

This would mean an increase in the tax rate of about \$3.25 if the present standards are maintained.

**For the continued education of your children vote NO on Proposed Amendment Number Two.**

The Board of Education also asks you to vote **YES** on Proposed Amendment Number Five.

Proposed Amendment Number Five makes it possible to vote bonds for school buildings by a MAJORITY vote.

It also allows the School District to vote bonds extending over TWENTY YEARS instead of FIVE YEARS.

The present drastic need for school buildings in Ypsilanti makes this change necessary to secure the required funds to pay for them.

The people will still vote to raise money for bonds. They will also vote to set the length of time the bonds are to run. But they will do it by a MAJORITY vote instead of requiring two-thirds as at present.

**For needed classrooms for your children vote YES on Proposed Amendment Number Five.**

**Vote NO on TWO and YES on FIVE.**

# Y H S Celebrates Homecoming



Drum and Bugle Corps Leads Parade

Today is the big day. Once again Ypsilanti High School graduates will return for the annual homecoming festivities. Since this is the one-hundredth anniversary of Ypsilanti High School, "Centennial" will be the theme of the homecoming event.

To start off the day of events, there will be a parade at 3:15 this afternoon. It will progress west on Cross, south on Huron, east on Michigan, north on Adams and then back to the school. The parade will be led by the Girls' Drum and Bugle Corps. The Boys' Marching Band will also participate. Various clubs and organizations such as the Varsity Club, Sem Staff, and National Honor Society will be represented along with the Senior, Junior, Sophomore, and Freshmen classes by floats or decorated cars. This year the homerooms will also take part in a similar manner. Fifteen, ten, and five dollar prizes will be awarded to the three best floats. Jack Bush and Dale Schaffer are in charge of the judges and awards.

At 8 o'clock tonight on Island Park, the Ypsi Braves will tackle Wayne for our Homecoming football game.

Immediately following the game, the Varsity Club is sponsoring a Homecoming Dance in the High School gymnasium. The dance will last from 10:00 to 12:00. There will be an orchestra and every one is invited to attend the climax of our Homecoming "Centennial" festivities.

## Reception for Teachers Given by School Board

Charles McKenny Hall was the scene of a lovely reception for the teachers given by the Board of Education Wednesday, September 29.

Mr. Chapelle welcomed all and introduced the new teachers, then Mr. Peters expressed his welcome as President of the Board of Education. Mrs. Johnson presented the String Trio who played two numbers after which Mrs. Barrs introduced the wives of the board members. Mr. Heyman, president of the Teachers Club, thanked the Board of Education for the lovely program and complimented them on the cooperative feeling which exists between the teachers and the Board of Education.

Refreshments were served from a beautifully arranged table with the wives of Board members pouring.

## Open House Begins Centennial Celebration Sem Staff Attends Meeting in Lansing

On Monday, October 18, there will be Open House at Ypsilanti High School. Parents are cordially invited to visit the teachers from 7:30 to 8:00 P.M. in their respective rooms. Following this there will be organ music in the auditorium by Mrs. Herbert Fry and a few selections from the orchestra under the direction of Mr. George Cavender.

The fourth and sixth hour Dramatic classes will present a pageant to start off the Centennial program for the year. Also included in the program will be an address given by Reverend Harvey C. Colburn. Refreshments will then be served in the cafeteria by Miss Byers.

## New Teachers Debut

As you have walked around school the past few weeks you've undoubtedly noticed many new faces. Probably you have noticed that there are many new teachers as well as students. We feel that these new teachers should be made as well known as possible, so this column can be called the "new teachers debut."

First, we make our way past the art room and we see a new teacher. Upon inquiry, we find that the new art teacher is Mrs. Blanche Heddle. Mrs. Heddle is a native of Detroit, but has spent much of her life in Fenton, Michigan. She has graduated from Fenton High School and Michigan State Normal College.

On Wednesday, October 13, the Sem Staff attended the Annual High School Journalism Day in Lansing. The members of the staff have been very busy preparing for this first issue of *The Sem*, but they found time to spend a very enjoyable day in Lansing.

The staff left early in the morning as the program started with registration at 8:30 at the college auditorium. The first meetings began at 10 a. m. There were many meetings and clinics devoted to the year-book and its problems with men and women from the various fields leading the discussion.

The general meeting was held at 4:30 when the awards for the year were presented. The awards were made for the best newspaper in each of the high school classifications; best year-book in all classifications; best individual story, editorial, feature story and short story. The beautiful John S. Knight trophy was presented to the school whose newspaper was judged the most excellent, regardless of class.

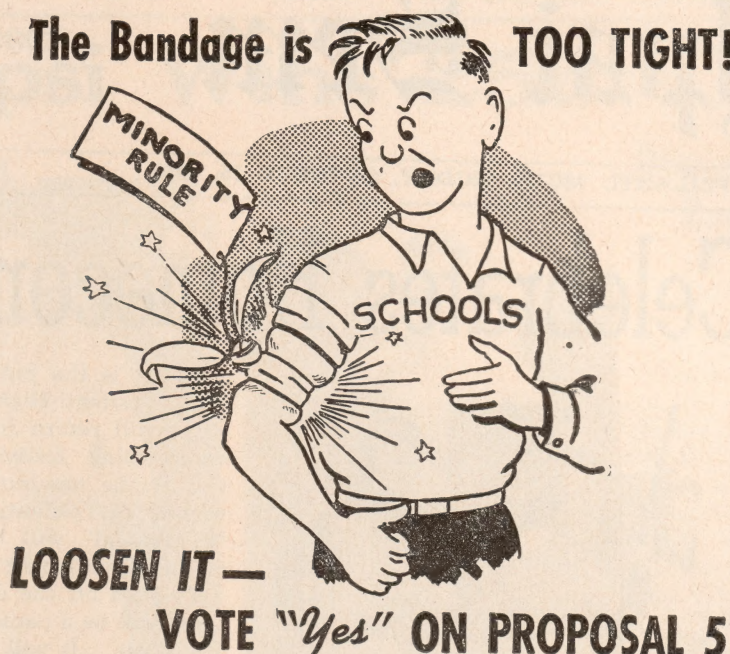
A special speaker, recognized in the field of journalism, addressed the visiting journalists at this hour. The day was concluded at 6 p. m.

Ypsi High is the first place in which she has taught, and she thinks this school is "dandy".

(New Teachers Debut  
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## The Bandage is TOO TIGHT!



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### FALL FASHIONS

"What are you going to add to your fall wardrobe?"

Previous to 1947 one could count on the same styles year in and year out. The more prominent style was pleated skirts and box sweaters. Then in 1947, or there about, fashion stylists wanted to be different so they revolutionized all fashions. The skirts became long and tight with form fitting sweaters and blouses. Later the tight skirts were replaced by even longer and very full skirts called ballerinas. At the same time ballerina shoes also became the rage. This combination made the majority of girls look short and fat, but who wants to be out of style? How the individual looks makes no difference.

This year, however, fashion stylists just can't seem to make up their mind which they like the best, the short or long, the full or narrow. As a result anything is the style. From observance it seems the fat, short girl wears the long, full skirts, and the tall, thin girls the long, narrow skirts. Oh, well, as the saying goes "Never give up hope, by next year the stylists may strike a happy medium!"

### College Plan In Effect

This year the entire student body of Ypsilanti High School has drawn the attention of the faculty and our parents because of the "free hour" study hall system. This college plan must be adequate to meet the requirements of daily homework and satisfactory approval by all concerned.

Your parents will be stressing the best possible grades and the faculty is interested in how quickly you adapt yourself to this ruling.

At first this was used because of the unfinished rooms on second and third floor, but even now a plan of this type could go into permanent effect.

All of us will agree that this system is far superior to the former one where study halls were in constant session.

If they are to continue, however, let us remember to leave quickly and quietly but not forgetting to do our homework. Never has there been a time in Ypsilanti High School's one hundred years of existence that students did not do more than meet its requirements. Let's not fail now.

### THE VICTORS

The whistle blows,  
The game is on!  
As one, the crowd rises  
For the kick-off,  
And emits a mighty shout  
As the kick proves good

Our man has the ball  
And fights his way  
Down the field,  
Weaving and dashing,  
Twisting and smashing  
The tough opposition

And the battle goes —  
Spurred on by schoolmates' cries.  
Back and forth the pigskin flies,  
Sought by both teams' eager hands.  
The crowd is waiting breathlessly.  
What will the outcome be?

But look, our men are pushing forward!  
We're edging nearer to our goal.  
Ten seconds left — our man  
Breaks through to score!  
The game is won  
Our team the victors prove.

### Chit-Chat

By PAT

Hi kids! This is a brand new column in the Ypsi Sem and I hope you will like it.

Miss Davis has been listening in on the conversations at the concession stand on Friday nights. She heard a few of the fellows talking about how Ted Hon gets away with everything in American History. Upon questioning, Ted said it wasn't true (of course Miss Davis was standing right in front of him).

The junior division students gaze up with open mouths when the fourth hour Dramatics class starts becoming Sara Bernhardt and Rudolph Valentinos. Harold Britton has been everything from a gallant knight to a sheriff. Jack Walker was good as the fool in "Elizabeth the Queen". He had to change his whole personality and do a lot of good acting! Don Congdon ran a close second on that part.

I'm going now but I'll be back,  
With news both old and new.  
And I'm surprised and glad to find  
That you've read this all the way thru.

### Inquiring Reporter

The inquiring reporter is very inquiring so the inquired say. The question that was being asked of the students of Ypsilanti High School was, "What do you do during your study hall period?" These are the amazing answers!

Nancy Marushak — Michos! More fun!

Ann Lurkins — Well, it all depends!

Tom Bradley — Watch the senior gym class!

Roberta Hubbard — Sit and drool — in the lunchroom!

George Roberts — Go uptown.

Bill Lurkins — Get things ready for the band.

Jeanette Adolf — Sit in library and drool. (Bill isn't in there, Jeanette, how come?)

Frances Wolter — Go to Campus Drug and flirt with all the College boys!

Roger Walker — Go downtown.

Ann Ragan — Hate to tell ya!

Fayrene La Fleur — Hit wrong notes on the piano!

Pete Dyer — Go to the Club with Baker! (Sounds interesting!)

Fred Kessler — See Detroit on television.  
Jane Stoltz — Sleep! (Wish I could do something like that!)

Joe Katsefaras — Work! (really?)

Nancy Weinmann — There's one thing I don't do! (What could she mean by that?)

Harley Rutledge — Fool around!

Dick Delano — Ride around!

Richard Rankin — Look at "Esquire".

Viola Evanoff — Either dream or write — Elliott that is!

Now you can see what I mean when I say "amazing answers". There is still one question on my mind, though, and that is, "What is the difference between 'uptown' and 'downtown'?"

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## Sophomores To Be Welcomed At Party

## Varsity Club Presents Score Board

October 23, 1948, that's the day! On that night the Sophomores will be welcomed into the Senior Division by the Senior and Junior classes. From bits of news I've heard it's really going to be a reception that Sophomores will long remember, and Sophomores, this is one of the rare occasions where you get **everything** for nothing! That's right, it is absolutely free to all Sophomores. There will be dancing to heavenly music, scrumptious refreshments, and even special entertainment.

All this is being made possible by the committees working hard to make this the best Sophomore reception ever. The chairmen are: Decoration and Clean-up, Zadok St. John, John Baker; Orchestra, Bill Buck, Bob Laing; Refreshments, Rosie Cox, Mary Scheffler; Reception, Don Wallace, Lee Wynn; Favors, Bill Hawes, Ed Ellis; Ticket, Bernice Campbell, Charlene Niles; Posters, June Crescio, Jim Fox; Invitations, Lowell Perry, Illah Heiser.

We hope the Sophomores enjoy this reception as much as the Seniors and Juniors did when they were welcomed into the Senior Division. So come one, come all (especially Sophomores) and make this a really gala affair!



The fourth and sixth hour choruses are now under way having just elected their officers for the year. They are, in the fourth hour: President, Bernice Campbell; Vice-President, Harold Nass; Secretary, Jeanette Adlof; Treasurer, Bill Hawes. The librarians are Joyce Harvey, Anne Ragan and Dan Baughey. The officers elected in the sixth hour chorus are: President, Elda Utley; Secretary and Treasurer, Dorothy Netterfield; Manager, Dick Skelt; Librarians, Betty Hoffman and Stanley Shipley.

Mr. Fry has just chosen the a-cappella choir, therefore the officers have not been elected.

The members are: Charlene Niles, Joan Wallace, Roberta Benson, Elaine Hayden, Joanne Wilson, Barbara Dumbach, Marlene Moffett, Karlin Johnson, Faith Cook, Shirley Evans, Anne Ragan, June Crescio, Betty Mead, Betty Russell, Peggy Harrison, Ruth Schaab, Lois Owens, Betty McKinstry, Dorothy Houck, Joanne Townsley, Betty Edson, Frances Wolters, Joan Wales, Dorothy Netterfield, Marilyn Bischoff, Rosa Cox, Mary Wildman, Bernice Campbell, Ralph Block, Harold Nass, Bill Hawes, Wayne Strohl, Dan Baughey, Ted Hon, Harley Rutledge, Gilford Wilks, Nathan Judson, Hugh Berry, Darrell Henry, Don Hazlett, Clarence Chambers, and Clyde Phillips.

The Boys' Marching Band has

increased its marching cadence this year and has added instrument movement and body movement to their marching. The officers for this year are: President, Dan Baughey; Vice-president, Jim Christos; Secretary-Treasurer, Nathan Judson; Librarian, John Baker; Stage Manager, Joe Katsefaras, and Equipment Manager, Ed Babcock.

The Girls' Drum and Bugle Corps has also increased its cadence. There are many plans under way for the corps, such as; obtaining new uniforms, both summer and regular ones, and adding four bagpipes. Many other ideas will become noticeable as the corps appears during the year. The officers are: President, Evelyn Sipe; Vice-President, Phyllis Kelly; Secretary, Mary Scheffler; Treasurer, Joanne Townsley, and Equipment Manager, Nancy Weinmann.



Standing below the new score board at Island Park are Coach Ralph Deetz left, Earl Sonoc, President of the Varsity Club and Principal Norris G. Wiltse on the right. Mr. Wiltse has just accepted the gift on behalf of the school.

## YHS Entered In Junior Olympics

During the summer vacation four members of Ypsi High were bringing glory to our school. The A. A. U. sponsored the first annual Junior Olympics in Cleveland and it turned out to be a big success. Ypsilanti was represented by four well known athletes from our school. Dave Hill, who took 2nd in the high jump and 3rd in the high hurdles, Lee Wynn, who finished third in the mile, Lowell Perry, who took 2nd in the broad jump and John Hill, who ran in the relay team, which took fourth. Eleven different states were represented. Boys came from as far north as Canada to as far south as New Orleans. Coach Deetz accompanied the boys and I think we should not only be proud, but wish them all the luck in the world.

Many people in Ypsilanti have asked the coaches and faculty members why there was not a score board down on the football field. The Varsity Club has been working for three years to obtain the finances for this project. Saturday, October 2, the new electric score board was erected. The large clock tells the minutes and seconds left to play and the board shows the yards to go, the score, the down, and the quarter.

The Varsity Club earned the necessary \$1400.00 by sponsoring a concession stand at sports activities. The Club also received contributions from ex-letter men. On October 4, President, Earl Sonoc, presented the score board to Mr. Wiltse who represented Ypsilanti High School. Thanks to the Varsity Club, the spectators will now be well informed as to the progress of the football games.



## Student Council Sponsors Concerts

The students of Ypsilanti High School and the citizens of Ypsilanti have in store for them a wonderful opportunity to hear two of America's greatest artists.

The High School has made it possible for pianist, Robert Drumm, and baritone, Fred Thomas, to appear at the high school auditorium on October 19. One performance will be given in the afternoon for the students and another in the evening for the townspeople.

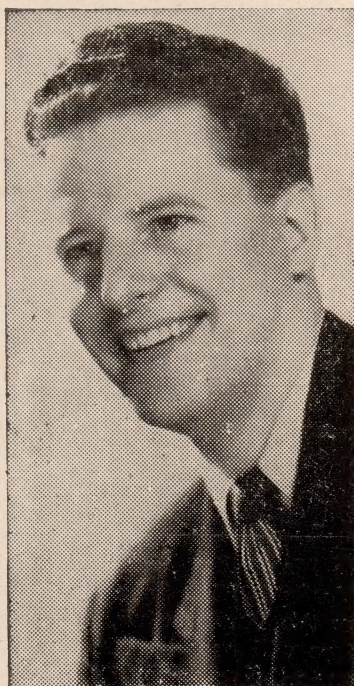


Robert Drumm

At the age of five, Robert Drumm showed unusual talent for the piano. His mother, a concert pianist, recognized it immediately and gave him lessons. All through high school and in the university, he continued his study of the piano.

He first came into national fame when he won the "Carnegie Technical Award Foundation." While attending the Julliard School of Music, he also attained many honors.

During the time Mr. Drumm was in the service, he entertained his fellow servicemen overseas. He is popularly known as the "Titan of the Pianoforte".



Fred Thomas

Fred Thomas was an acclaimed "Child Prodigy", after appearing as a boy soloist in the "Choir of All Churches", which toured America.

As an adult, he has appeared for many seasons with the "Metropolitan Opera Company" and also with "Radio City Music Hall." Mr. Thomas has received national acclaim as an accomplished artist. His rich baritone voice has been heard by thousands of eager listeners. During the war, he served in the Army, where he gave command performances for his buddies.

The music of both artists will be of both semi-popular and classical text. Works will be that of composers such as, Gershwin, Romberg, Debussy, Chopin, Mozart, and Bizet. Other great composers will also be represented. All students should plan to attend these entertaining shows, and inform their friends of this wonderful opportunity which is being presented for them.

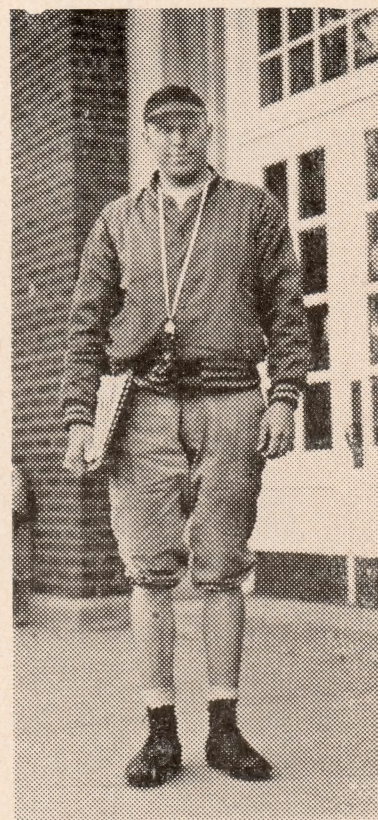
## Isbell, New Coach

Ypsilanti High School welcomes a new member to the coaching staff in the person of Mr. Ronald Isbell.

Coach Isbell graduated from Ann Arbor High School, and then attended the University of Michigan. While at college he played both football and basketball.

After graduating from the U. of M., he went to Sunfield where he coached for three years. From there he went to Stockbridges and then to Milan where he had some very successful basketball teams. Last year he coach basketball at Bay City High School.

Ypsi is confident that Coach Isbell will have another season of success here.



Coach Isbell

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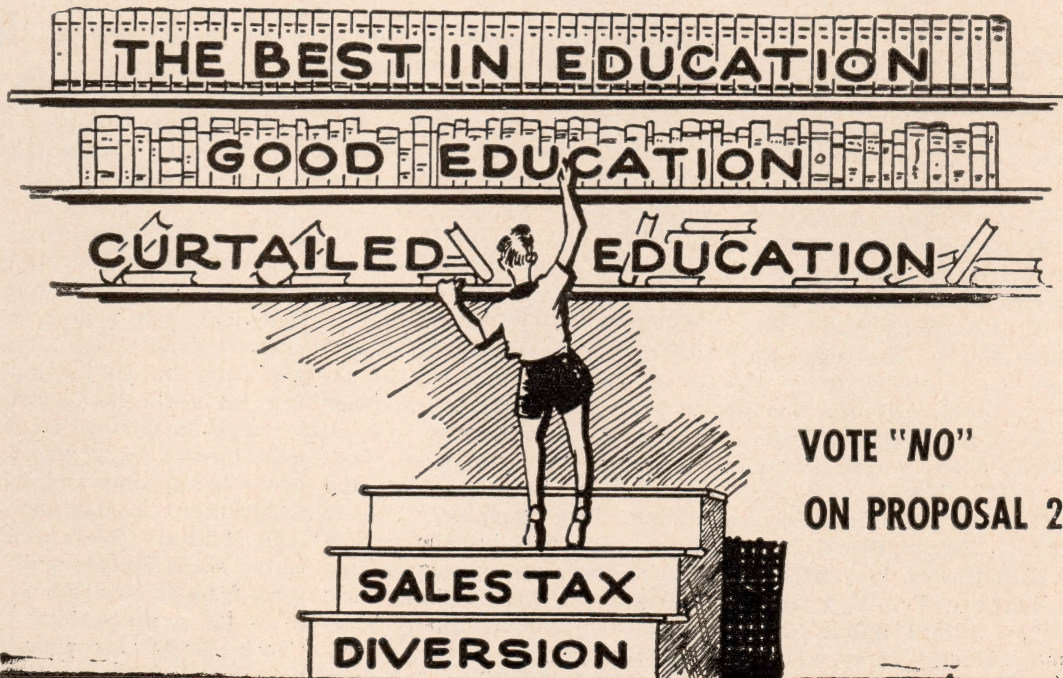
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your school to thrive

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and YES on FIVE

HELP HIM TO REACH HIGHER



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## New Teachers Debate

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### Science

Venturing just around the corner, we see a new teacher in the science department. He is Mr. John Connally. Mr. Connally is married and is a native of Beverly, Massachusetts. He has taught in Stoneham, Bennington, Vermont, and El Paso, Texas. He has a "very good" opinion of Ypsi High and thinks "Michigan looks much better than Texas".

### English

The English department claims a new-comer in the person of Mrs. Jeanette Grandstaff who teaches Junior Division English. She hails from Detroit and graduated from Cooley High School there, as well as from the University of Michigan. Although she lives in Ann Arbor, she likes Ypsilanti and thinks the students and the school's administration are "swell". She has traveled in both southern and eastern United States and is very fond of Northern Michigan and dramatics.

### Commerce

Mr. Paul Ritchie is the new typing and bookkeeping teacher. He likes to collect pipes and enjoys reading when he can find time. In his eye Ypsi High is "tops", and he also likes our town. Mr. Ritchie thinks the location of Ypsilanti is wonderful and describes the atmosphere around town as "easy going". Much of his life was spent in Indiana. He was born in Grandview, Indiana and taught at Indiana University. Mr. Ritchie was in the army for three years and was in France and North Africa. When asked which he preferred, Michigan or Indiana, he replied, "It's a toss-up."

### ROTC

The boys who take R. O. T. C. have a new instructor, namely, Sgt. Floyd Moore. Sgt. Moore has taught at Eastern, Central, Northwestern, Denby, Southeastern and Post Intermediate High Schools all of Detroit. He was born in Altoona, Kansas and also went to school there. Raising dogs interests him, and his own two chow dogs "keep him broke". He served in the army twenty-eight years, ten of which were spent in schooling. Sgt. Moore thinks this high school is "excellent" and likes it better than any other he has taught in.

### Library

Miss Ruth Gambill has taken over the job of trying to keep the library quiet and in order. When students start reporting there in November we will become better acquainted with her than we are now. Miss Gambill comes from North Adams, Michigan, and has done social service work as well as teaching in Wayne and Dearborn. She has graduated from Detroit Central, Michigan State Normal College, the University of Michigan, and Wayne University. Miss Gambill has no particular hobby, but she loves to travel. She thinks Ypsi High is "O. K. so far."

## CLUB NEWS

### National Honor Society:

Members of the National Honor Society elected officers at their first meeting. They are as follows: Bill Hawes, President; Jack Bush, Vice-President; Patti Wiltse, Secretary; Karlin Johnson, Treasurer; Dorothy Houck and Marlene Moffett, Program Chairmen.

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### Latin Club:

The Junior Classical League has had two meetings so far. The officers elected are Peter Fletcher and Joyce Harvey, Consuls; Joyce Hawks, Scriba; and Carl Scheffler, Quaestor. The general program will proceed as in previous years. By the way scriba is Latin for secretary and quaestor means treasurer.

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### Quill and Scroll:

Officers elected at a meeting of the Quill and Scroll are President, Betty Mead; Vice-President, Karlin Johnson; Secretary, Betty Russell; Treasurer, Dorothy Houck; and Program Chairman, Wayne Strohl.

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### Thespians:

The Thespian Society went to see the stage play "John Loves Mary" at the Cass Theater in Detroit Tuesday evening, and enjoyed it immensely. Their officers are Bill Hawes, President; Norman Ball, Vice-President; Karlin Johnson, Secretary; Marlene Moffett, Treasurer; and Anne Ragan, Social Chairman.

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### French and Spanish Clubs:

As yet the French and Spanish Clubs have had no meetings. They'll be getting under way soon, however. Any members of the French and Spanish classes, who wish to join the French and Spanish Clubs, respectively, should see Miss Lister.

## Are They Human?



Miss "Whosit" and Miss "Wegiveup."

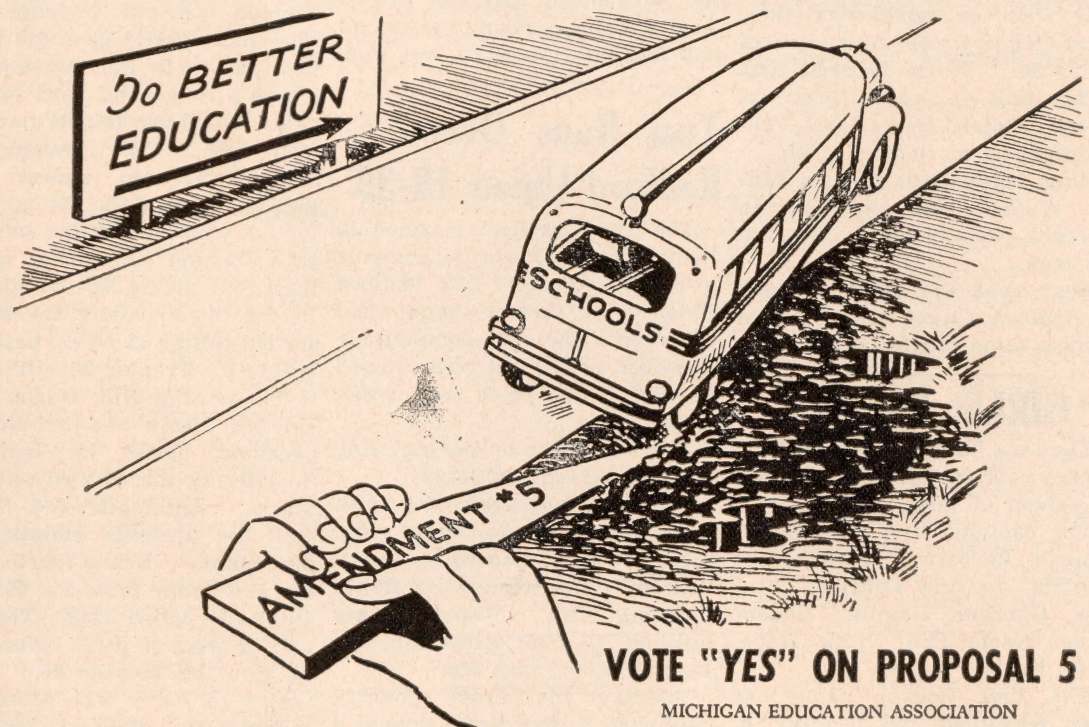
The G. A. C. has done it again. Yes, the new members have undergone the trying initiation given to them by the older members of this organization.

There was more to the initiation than met the eye. The girls, with very dirty faces, took the five-mile hike required of every new member.

If you saw a large crowd in the

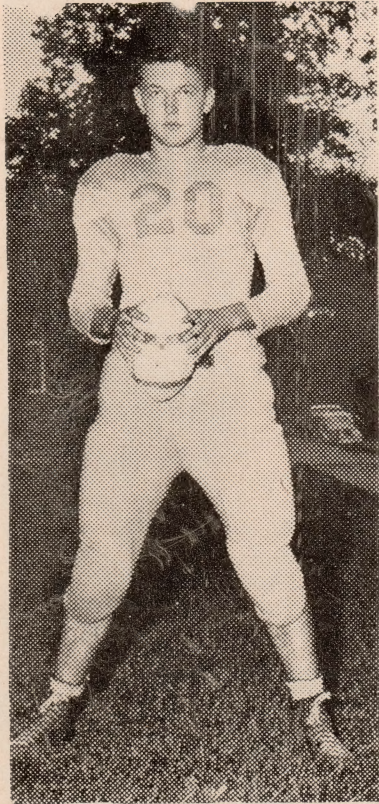
corridor Tuesday, September 28, this is what you found: girls in fantastic outfits of boys overalls, skirts with the new look going in the opposite direction, men's shirts, hair in fifteen different pigtailed, squirrel tails, ribbon, vegetable corsages, and oh, yes, the gastly mixtures of perfums that scented the halls and classrooms.

## PUT OUR SCHOOLS ON SOLID GROUND.

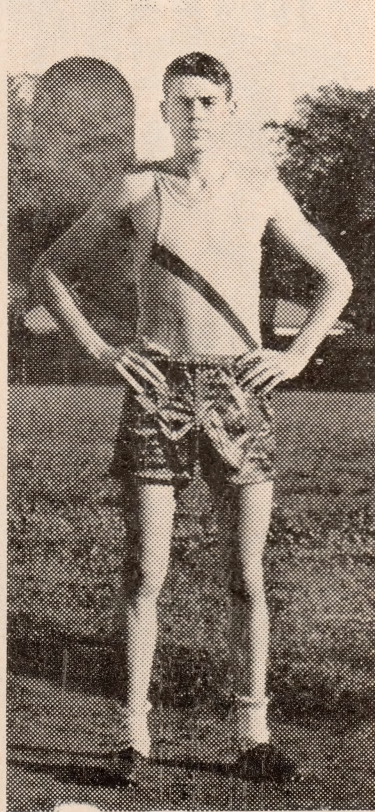




# Ypsi Wins 25th Game



Capt. Wayne Strohl



Capt. Bill Buck

## YHS Harriers Beat Belleville

And there they go!

Yes, it's the Ypsi High Harriers out winning a practice meet from Belleville. The first five to finish were: Lee Wynn, Bill Buck, Davis (a boy from Belleville), Dale Dolph, and John Baker.

However, the Harriers season didn't officially open until last Friday when they were host of the Trenton Harriers.

Besides having the usual worries, the boys had a few more with Coach Deetz on the sick list, and the Trenton team arriving a half hour late.

Regardless of their troubles they went out and won their Cross Country meet by a score of 16 to 50. Wynn finished first with a time of 11:29.5; Buck was second; Dolph, Baker, and Venier of Trenton finished fifth.

Close behind was Walker, Miller, Wallace, and two Trenton Harriers, who made up the first ten men.

Next week the Harriers travel to Redford Union, who tend to furnish some tough competition.

## GIRLS SPORTS

The time has come to pick class hockey captains for the new 1948-49 season of girls sports.

The captains are as follows: Seniors, Barbara Marushak, Co-Captain, Jo Ann Fanslow; Juniors, Caroline Gamble; Sophomores, Naomi Hill; Ninth Grade, Patty Neely.

The first Hockey game has been scheduled for October 6, 1948. This game will be between the Seniors and Sophomores.

## Braves Defeat Belleville 19 - 6

Surprised by a strong Belleville football machine, the Ypsilanti Braves eked out a 19-6 victory over the Tigers. The Braves, although handling the ball only three times in the first, used them to a great advantage. Dave Hill went off tackle for 95 yards and touchdown on the first play from scrimmage. Then just before the end of the first half it was Hill again who intercepted a pass 3 yards deep in his own end zone; and he raced 103 yards for another touchdown. The Tigers from Belleville scored just before the half ended, but the Braves were invincible during the second half and the final score was 19-6.

## Ypsi Runs Over Redford Union 18-39

The Ypsi Harriers traveled to Redford Union Friday to compete in their third meet. The Redford Union team, before hand, had promised some real competition. However, as the last boys crossed the finish line there was a different story.

Ypsi wound up on the high side with a good score of 18-39.

Lee Wynn was again first, with Buck and Dolph following close behind. Fourth to finish was a Redford Union man, with Baker finishing fifth. Roger Walker finished 7th, Carl Miller 8th, and Jerry Holwing was 9th.

Tuesday the Cross Country boys went to Ann Arbor to have a dual meet with the boys of that locality.

## Braves Roll Over Redford Union 40-0

It's 25 in a row now. Sparked by Dave Hill and Howard Neely the Braves crushed the Panthers from Redford Union, 40-0. Dale Schaffer went through the center in the early minutes of the first period for six points. Kersey's kick was low and the Braves led six to nothing. Hill scored on a sixty-nine yard run a few seconds later. During the third quarter the Braves used their reserves and the final score was Ypsi 40, R. U. 0. Strohl and Hopkins played a great game on defense and Rutledge played a fine game at end.

## Ypsi Opens Season With 44 - 0 Triumph

The Ypsilanti High Braves got their strong grid machine rolling with an overwhelming triumph over Class A school, Hazel Park. Led by Captain Wayne Strohl, the Braves crushed the vikings 44-0 under the lights at Island Park. A brilliant 80 yard touchdown run in the first seven minutes of play by Dave Hill started the Braves toward their twenty-first straight victory without defeat.

## Braves Down Trenton 15 - 0

On the glorious evening of October 1, 1948, the Ypsilanti Braves were hosts to Trenton. The Braves were gunning for their twenty-fourth straight victory. Dave Hill, Ypsi's star half-back, was slate to run wild as he did in the two previous games. Trenton was out to stop him. They did a pretty good job in the first half. In the two quarters it was a rough and hard football game, which was fought up on the front line. Our forward wall stopped Trenton almost completely. During the second quarter the whole front line smothered a Trenton ball carrier behind their goal, giving Ypsi two points. In the third quarter the Braves started rolling as Neely passed to Hill to the Trenton 30. Trenton, trying to stop Hill, forgot about Howard Neely and behind two excellent blocks by Hill and Schaffer, he scored Ypsi's first six points. Automatic Joe Kersey split the uprights counting up nine points. In the fourth quarter, Hill broke loose for 65 yards only to be called back. The next play he went 60 yards before tripping on the Trenton 20. Neely passed to Perry who scored the second tally. Kersey's kick was low and the score read, Ypsi 15; Trenton 0.

## Strohl Locker Room Echoes Britton

The air is crisp, the leaves on the trees are starting to turn. We know that fall is here — fall the time when all thoughts turn to fall sports.

The football team led by Captain Wayne Strohl, got off to a good start by winning the four games played with Hazel Park, Belleville, Trenton and Redford Union. Tonight they will meet Wayne under the lights at Island Park. This is the homecoming game, so let's all make a special effort to go, and cheer our boys on to victory.

One day Harold and I took a walk by the Michigan State Normal College. We accidentally ran on to the cross country track, where we saw Captain Bill Buck leading his group of harriers, on the rough and rugged 2 mile course. Let's keep it up Bill!!

Confidentially boys, the wierd looking freaks running around the halls a few weeks ago were girl s— our girls with a few added attractions. The only explanation given was that they were initiates of G. A. C.

The former athletes that are still kicking the pigskins around are: Jim Wolters, at the U. of M. Chet Dasher, at Great Lakes; and Eugene Jacobs, at Pasadena College of Arts.

If you haven't already noticed the new electric score board down on the island, I think maybe you should take a little walk down the hill to see it. The Varsity Club sponsored the purchase of this scoreboard.

## FOOTBALL

Sept. 17 — Hazel Park .... Here  
Sept. 24 — Belleville ..... Here  
Oct. 1 — Trenton ..... Here  
Oct. 8 — Redford Union .. Here  
Oct. 15 — Wayne ..... Here (homecoming)  
Oct. 22 — Plymouth ..... There  
Oct. 29 — Ann Arbor .... There  
Nov. 5 — Milford ..... There  
Nov. 12 — H. H. Lowery .. Here

## CROSS COUNTRY

Sept 24 — Belleville — Practice.  
Oct. 1 — Trenton ..... Here  
Oct. 8 — Redford Union .. There  
Oct. 12 — Ann Arbor ..... ??  
Oct. 22 — Plymouth ..... There  
Oct. 29 — Redford League Meet  
Nov. 2, Hazel Park ..... ??  
Nov. 6 — State Meet .... MSNC

## Result of Budget Ticket Sale

As a result of the annual Budget Ticket Sale, the Junior Division out-sold the Senior Division by 75 tickets. The total amount sold was 669.